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SUBJECT: (KYNG Log Number P07-003) Environmental Management System (EMS) Policy

1. References.

a. Executive Order 13148, Greening the Government Through Leadership in Environmental Management, April 21, 2000.

b. Pollution Prevention Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C 13101-13109).

c. NGB-ARE Memorandum dated 30 June 2003, subject: Implementation of Environmental Management Systems.

2. The Kentucky Army National Guard recognizes the obligation to preserve and protect the environment as part of the overall mission in defending our nation. Leaders must be prepared to conduct realistic and effective training in a manner that safeguards the environment through the integration of sustainability and environmental considerations into all aspects of our operations, training development, equipment fielding, construction planning and execution processes.

3. In pursuit of this policy, the leadership of the KYARNG commits to:

a. **Prevention of pollution** of our land, water and air to the extent that our mission allows.

b. **Compliance** with all local, state and federal environmental laws and regulations and other requirements.

c. **Continually improve** management and performance of our environmental program.

4. The Environmental Management System will move the organization towards sustainability, create a flexible platform for further sustainability improvements, support training, and enhance mission effectiveness. The importance of our mission demands your commitment in achieving the full benefit of this policy.

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